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Democratic Ticket.

FOR CONGRESS,
ROLLA K. HART,
OF Fleming County.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

COUNTY JUDGE.

Having been pressed to enter the race for County Judge I have decided to allow my name to be used in the Democratic primary election. I shall make no canvass, and am not a candidate in the usual sense, but if the Democrats vote to nominate me I will accept and go into the fight to win.

WM. H. WOODS.

We are authorized to announce JAMES HAYES, of George Creek, as a candidate for County Judge, subject to the action of the Democratic primary election.

JAILER.

We are authorized to announce R. H. CHAFFESS as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Jailer of Lawrence county.

We are authorized to announce RICHARD LOWE, of Blaine, as a candidate for Jailer, subject to the action of the Democratic primary election.

We are authorized to announce CHRIS THOMPSON as a candidate for the office of Lawrence county, subject to the action of the Democratic primary election.

We are authorized to announce LAMAR SIMMONS as a candidate for the nomination of Jailer of Lawrence county, subject to the action of the Democratic primary election.

SURVEYOR.

We are authorized to announce JOHN J. MANN as a candidate for Surveyor of Lawrence county, subject to the action of the Democratic primary election.

We are authorized to announce J. R. DEAN as a candidate for the office of Surveyor of Lawrence county, subject to the action of the Democratic primary election.

ATTORNEY.

We are authorized to announce TIP MOORE as a candidate for the nomination for County Attorney of Lawrence county, subject to the action of the Democratic primary election.

We are authorized to announce G. W. SEACAS as a candidate for County Attorney of Lawrence county, subject to the action of the Democratic primary election.

CLERK.

We are authorized to announce RORY DIXON as a candidate for the office of County Clerk of Lawrence county, subject to the action of the Democratic primary election.

MAGISTRATE.

We are authorized to announce RAN HINKLE, of Peach Orchard, as a candidate for Magistrate in Magistrate District No. 7, composed of Peach Orchard, Dobbins and Rock Castle precincts, subject to the action of the Democratic primary election.

We are authorized to announce A. J. COXLEY as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Magistrate in the district composed of the two Louisa voting precincts.

Mike B. Thompson is a candidate for Magistrate in the district composed of George Creek and Little Blaine precincts, subject to the action of the Democratic primary election.

SHERIFF.

We are authorized to announce A. L. SHANNON as a candidate for Sheriff, subject to the action of the Democratic primary election.

The prospects are that the tariff bill will pass the Senate in about ten days.

A national society has been formed in Chicago for the suppression of the cigarette.

The stockholders who put up the money to make the World's Fair a success have received a 10 per cent dividend on their stock, aggregating \$700,000. The city of Chicago receives about \$250,000.

It is said that Senator Hill will favor Hon. Adlai B. Stevenson for President in 1896, and has said that he will receive the support of New York. Hill is not entitled to much of a "say" in Democratic affairs.

John W. Langley, formerly of Floyd county, but who for several years has been attending a law school in Washington City and drawing a salary from a law firm, is a candidate for the Republican nomination for Congress in the Tenth district.

In his New York letter Mr. Henry Clowes expresses the opinion that the country will soon be relieved from the "distressing" and "disastrous" conditions which will tend to dissipate that distrustful discrimination against our investments which has for nearly two years past, preponderated in the London market. Wall street, he declares, views with complacency the large and unanticipated outflow of gold to Europe, the exports being regarded as due mainly to the redemption of gold payments by Austria—O. J.

That Bar!

Down at Augusta the other day, in spite of Ashland Podge and others from this section, the Mason and Lewis county Republicans set Morg. Thomas' money bar on a stump and nominated it for Congress. It's true they called it Samuel W. Pugh, but it is only a distinction without the slightest difference. If he had had a rich father-in-law behind him Editor Davis, of Mayville, by long odds the ablest candidate for the nomination, would have received the barren honor. Man-with-a-barrel spells it Pugh, but how! won't we make it hot enough for him before November?

The Strike Settled.

The great miners' strike has been settled, after a tumultuous existence of eight weeks. The strikers demanded an increase of twenty cents per ton and the settlement was a compromise at ten cents per ton increase. Next Monday is the date fixed for the resumption of work. The strike resulted in a good deal of bloodshed and in the manifestation of a considerable amount of anarchistic spirit.

The Silver Commission, which has been in session in Berlin for three weeks, has failed to reach any agreement. Ludwig Bamberg, a leading member of the commission, thinks no conference, either national or international, can do more, and that an international agreement upon bimetalism is an impossibility.

A joint debate between Owens and Settle was arranged for last Monday at Lexington. The Owens men were largely in the majority and after their man had spoken they tried to prevent Settle from speaking by making noisy demonstrations. Silence was finally restored and Settle poured hot shot into both Owens and Breckinridge for two hours, amidst much excitement. Times are getting hot down there and promise some serious results before the end is reached.

EAST FORK.

Corn has begun to look very well. One is not looking well, early potatoes are very poor.

Wm. Dempsey is very low with heart disease and dropsy.

Isaac Queens' youngest child has been sick for two months, is not expected to live.

Virgil Barrett is very low with measles; it is supposed he will not get well before August.

Uncle Billy Taylor happened with another accident last Tuesday while standing on a high bank near the creek looking at some fish play. A muley steer butted him over into the water for plunk. It was over his head so uncle splashed and plunged about till one of his sons ran to the place and rescued him.

J. T. Riffe has just returned from a two weeks trip to Moonhead, and Tygar. He says times are very dull there.

Joe Taylor and Wm. Adams have dug nearly fourteen pounds of ginger and twenty six pounds yellow root. They found four pounds one day since April tenth.

V. B. Shortridge made a business trip to Spring creek last Monday.

Joseph Harris and Samuel D. Dwyer, of Newsum, was calling on some of the fair ones at this place Sunday.

John S. Riffe was visiting friends and relatives on Seed Tick, the greater part of last week and reports a jolly time.

The school election at this place was a spirited contest between Alonzo Belcher, V. B. Shortridge and Geo. Handley. It resulted in Mr. Belcher's election by a majority of twenty six.

School teachers, candidates, cutworms and hard times are making us farmers glad to get an opportunity to go gang digging.

Dr. Sparks declares himself not a candidate for County Judge, and says he is perfectly willing for R. C. McClure to make the race.

Our Sunday School is improving every Sunday now that the sickness of the neighborhood has abated. The school house is filled to overflowing every Sunday.

Mr. George Belcher is making a good superintendent.

Success to the News.

N. G. WHISKERS.

Are you insured? If not, now is the time to provide yourself and family with a bottle of Chamberlain's colic, cholera and diarrhoea remedy as an insurance against any serious results from an attack of the bowel complaint during the summer months. It is almost certain to be needed and should be procured at once. No other remedy can take its place or do its work. 25 and 50 cent bottles for sale by A. M. Hughes.

DWALE.

Little Raymond Burns, of Prestonsburg, is visiting J. W. Hatcher.

Mrs. Johnnie Batteff and family has returned to Prestonsburg, after a few days visit to J. S. Belcher. J. W. Hatcher went to Prestonsburg Saturday.

The prayer meeting at this place is about to stop, what is the cause? Hon. Joe M. Kendall visited relatives at the mouth of Beaver Sunday. Joe looks fine, and his outlook for the nomination is good.

Floyd county is solid for Joe.

Mrs. Corn Holt, wife of Evan Holt, departed this life, last Saturday morning. Just before she died she told her friends that Heaven was her home. She was buried at the Mayo grave-yard Sunday morning.

M. T. Allen and Felix Flannery was here Sunday.

WILBUR.

Mr. Ed. Not seeing anything from this place since the honey-suckle's withered away and mama's good boy made his confession, I will write a few lines and if they miss the waste basket I will call again.

Mr. H. B. Garbille, of Martha, Ky., was in our vicinity last Sunday.

M. F. Sweetman and wife was visiting his parents at Blaine Saturday and Sunday last.

A Republican was heard to say a few days ago that he would bet \$50 that he could eat every Republican that was elected to an office in this county, next November. But H. H. says true Republicans will forget the late convention by that time.

Several of the young folks attended church at Hoad last Sunday, and report a large crowd and a good time.

Mr. G. J. Moore and wife were visiting E. J. Moore last Sunday.

Miss Lucy Thompson has a new organ.

John Medicine Moves the Jowels Each Day. In order to be healthy this is necessary.

Monthly Crop Report.

From a general resume of all the correspondents to this office it is somewhat difficult to make a satisfactory report of the State as to how much damage all kinds of cereals have sustained from the snow and the subsequent cold and cloudy weather. The snow did not extend over the entire State; it was mostly confined to the Central and Eastern portions. From the county of Pendleton a correspondent writes: "The snow of May the 29th damaged all kinds of vegetation, and the continued cool weather so favors the pestiferous cut-worm and retards growth of all kinds of farm products that it has lowered the prospects materially; the work of the cut-worm is the worst I ever knew; there are fields of both corn and tobacco that are both literally destroyed and furrowed out and planted new, and their work still goes on." The damage has been the most severe to crops that were very forward; but as was the case after the freeze in March, I believe that I am justifiable in saying that we were worse scared than hurt. The prospects looked very gloomy for all kinds of forward wheat, rye and barley, but the larger portion of the crop has straightened up, good heads are forming, and the prospect very much improved. A gentleman from Chicago, who has made a very thorough examination of the wheat crop in Kentucky, estimates the crop at 75 per cent; his idea is that one stalk in every four is broken and will not mature the grain. His visit was soon after the snow fell. In conversation with a gentleman who has large experience as a farmer and observes very closely, and is an extensive wheat raiser, said that his opinion had changed two or three times this spring as to the wheat crop; "says it is true that there is a large number of stalks broken, but that the heads have pointed upward sufficiently for the harvester to save them, and are apparently well." Of course he cannot say whether they will make a good quality of wheat; he thinks now that there will be a fair crop of wheat raised. Of the fields he had examined the heads were large and were filling well; that there were often four than three grains to the "mesh." The percent of wheat on the 1st day of June was 87. The acreage, as compared with last year, was 91.

The young corn was very badly snow-burnt, and its growth was retarded by the long and continued cold weather. Corn that was much advanced fell over and looked as if it was dead, but the few warm days that we had caused it to grow. The cultivation of the crop at this time of the season, was never better. The ground has been well worked, and it is in fine condition. All correspondents say that corn never came up better than it did this season. There has been much complaint from cat worms. I have made frequent investigations from those complaining, and in nearly every instance the damage was where the ground was broken this spring. If this is correct, it should certainly encourage fall plowing for corn. The indications are, from all places, that the acreage will be unusually large. There was a very large per cent of the ground that was in clover, as well as a large part of that which was sown to oats, has been plowed and planted in corn. The estimated condition June 1st was 84 per cent.

Spring pastures were never much worse at this season of the year. They had not fully recovered from the March freeze; the frosted appearance on the ends of the blades of grass are visible yet. The condition June 1st was 83 per cent.

The crop of oats will be very short, some few counties reporting full acreage and good crops, and others not reporting at all, saying: "All killed, or sown either to millet or planted in corn," will make the per cent larger than it should be. Estimated acreage, compared with last year, was June the 1st, 82 per cent. Estimated condition June 1st was 67 per cent.

It is the universal opinion of all the correspondents that there is less clover than we have ever had at this season. It is to be hoped that the principal seed-growing States have not failed as we have. If they have, I would suggest to the farmers to buy their seed for next spring. Estimated acreage June 1st was 87 per cent. Average condition June 1st was 75 per cent.

The prospect for timothy one month ago was very fine, but, like other crops, has been cut short, and from present indications, the crop will not be up to an average. It is heading out very low, and in many places nearly all cheat. Estimated acreage June 1st was 90 per cent. Condition June 1st was 66 per cent.

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Very little fruit if any kind except strawberries and a fair crop of blackberries. The crop of grapes will not be very abundant. The few apples that were reported last month are falling off very rapidly.

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LICK CREEK.

We had a fine rain Tuesday, and growing crops look well. Potatoes and beans will soon be plentiful.

Preaching Sunday last at See School house by Rev. William Ball.

Cut worms, school teachers, and candidates are busily engaged in their various occupations.

Miss Flora Friend is visiting her grandma at this writing.

Mr. Jackson, of East Fork, visited Mr. A. J. Chapman Saturday and Sunday.

Quite a number of young folks Sundayed at A. L. Shannons. The time was happily spent and all enjoyed the music given by Miss Lou Stratton, J. B. McClure, W. J. Vaughan. In the assembly was Miss Nell Ash, Maggie and Cora Chaperon, Nora Wilson, Laura Akers, Jack Muncey, Tom Brannan, Eugene Wallace, Jim Akers, John Johnson, Jerry Muncy, Albert Shannon. All report a nice time.

Steve Bradley called on his best girl Sunday at Smokey Valley. When are you to call again Steve?

Mr. G. C. Sweetman spent Saturday and Sunday at this place. Come again George.

We had quite a lively time at Dist. No. 59, Saturday evening. Frank Brauham and William Little were elected trustees.

Miss Jones and Mrs. Calus made a flying trip to Louisa Saturday evening.

Judge Webb and Lys Kise passed here Monday enroute to Louisa.

Success to the News is the wish of

USICORN.

Dr. M. J. Davis is a prominent physician of Lewis county, Iowa, and has been actively engaged in the practice of medicine at that place for the past thirty years. On the 20th of May while in Des Moines, en route to Chicago, he was suddenly taken with an attack of diarrhoea. Having sold Chamberlain's colic, cholera and diarrhoea remedy for the past seventeen years, and knowing its reliability, he procured a 25 cent bottle, two doses of which completely cured him. The excitement and change of water and diet incident to traveling often produce a diarrhoea. Every one should procure a bottle of this remedy before leaving home. For sale by A. M. Hughes, Louisa, Ky.

Floyd County.

PRESTONSBURG.

Isaac Richmond is dangerously ill with fever.

"Bill" Baker and daughter of Hindman are here visiting.

The families of Adam Martin and John Murray were here Saturday.

Harry Cooley came in the town Saturday night making calls &c. Raymon Burns returned Sunday from a pleasant visit to friends in Dwale.

Mr. May's little daughter, who was thrown from a horse a few days ago, is much better.

Ed Burke and Frank Tyree are here.

Corn Powers, one of Salsville's most charming young ladies, is the pleasant guest of Mrs. S. P. Davidson.

Bob Frazure and wife are here for a few days visiting home folks. Frank Stafford, of Paintsville, is at the Ford Hotel.

Bella Martin, of Hueysville, is here visiting friends and relatives. Willie Layne gave a birthday party at his home Monday night. The evening was pleasantly spent in games and dancing.

Lou Stratton, of East Point, was in town Friday.

Nell Davidson has gone to Laynesville on a visit.

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PEACH ORCHARD.

Two "Strikers," from Kilgore, came here Monday night and tried to get the miners to come out, but they refused to do so and are still at work. The strikers have gone and we hope they won't come here again.

Mrs. J. C. Butler and children, of Louisa, and Mrs. James Kerney, of Ashland, are visiting relatives here.

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